## **ASSESSMENTS**

<u>Assessments</u>	Possible Points	<b>Percentage</b>	<u>SCALE</u>
Unit Exams (4)	400 (100 each)	~55.5 %	A 90%
Final Exam	100	~13.9%	B 80%
Participation Grade	100	~13.9%	C 70%
Vocabulary Quizzes	80	~11.1%	D 59%
Big Picture HW	<u>40</u>	~ <u>5.5%</u>	F < 59%
Total	$\overline{72}0$	100%	
Extra Credit	50		

## Estimate your grade using this equation:

BIOL1107 Grade = (average exam grade x 0.6944) + ((# participation days / total # lectures) \* 13.889) + (Vocabulary Quiz Points (highest 8, up to 80pt)) + (Big Picture HW Points, up to 40pt) + (total extra credit points earned, up to 50pt)

<u>UNIT EXAMS AND FINAL EXAM</u> – All examinations are required, including the final; and, unless the course moves to remote learning, all examinations must be taken in-person. If you miss an exam, you have 24hr to set-up a make-up exam. If you fail to contact me within this timeframe, or if you have already completed one make-up test, you forfeit the opportunity to take the original exam as a make-up. The alternative make-up exam will include fewer Multiple-Choice questions and more Short Answer questions.

Students who are interested in reviewing their exam &/or improving their exam scores are <u>encouraged</u> to complete an exam review activity (exam wrap) before the next exam. The schedule and location details will be posted to Announcements in BV after the exam date.

<u>PARTICIPATION GRADE</u> – Beginning the second week of class, participation will be assessed for every

<u>Attendance Policy</u>. Attendance (in person or remote) is not required, but it does improve your grade. See the Participation Grade. I do have two rules regarding attendance.

- 1. DO NOT COME TO CLASS IF YOU ARE IN QUARANTINE OR FEEL ILL.
- 2. DO NOT send your clicker to class with another student so that you can be counted present, or attempt to use your clicker when you are not in the classroom. Photos are taken at the beginning, middle and/or end of class to document who is in the room. If we find that your device was used when you were not present, you will receive a 0 for Participation & an Academic Dishonesty Incident Report will be filed.

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## Tentative Lecture Schedule, BIOL 1107, Section C, FALL 2021

Dates	Subject	Chapters	HW due by 11:59pm
UNIT 1: WH			